REMARKS

Since only allowed claims 15-18 remain in the application, it is submitted that the application is in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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